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In re Application of Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure
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 Hirokazu FAKAHASHI, et al. : Confirmation Number: 8808
 Application No.: 10/522,577 : Group Art Unit: 2831
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For: SHIELD CABLE, WIRING COMPONENT, AND INFORMATION APPARATUS

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 Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required.
 Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
 Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	4	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	1	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented				\$0.00	
Fee for extension of time				\$0.00	
				\$0.00	
Total of Above Calculations				\$0.00	

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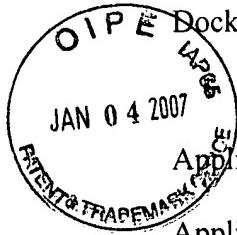
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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the final Office Action dated October 4, 2006.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.